

AD HOC – GOVERNMENT ENTITIES REVIEW
January 19, 2010

Chairman Phil Curran called the meeting to order at 7:55 p.m. on January 19, 2010. In attendance were committee members Colleen Stanley, Paul Rotello, Mark Chory and Alan Boyce. Also in attendance were Les Pinter, Corporation Counsel and Ted Cutsumpas, Mayor’s Aide.

Chairman Curran stated the charge of the committee was to look at two Government Entities scheduled for renewal this year; Flood and Erosion Control Board, and Tarrywile Park Authority.

Ted Cutsumpas representing the Park, said Tarrywile is a passive recreation park with 4 full time employees, 19 buildings and rental properties, and is a great asset to the City. Tarrywile Park Authority has a full nine member board that meets monthly with a quorum. Their budget was cut by 10% last year, but feel they can maintain with the generosity of the City.

Chairman Curran asked about the Flood and Erosion Control Board. Mr. Pinter said that statutes permit this board and if the Council wishes to eliminate it, they should instead repeal the ordinance. He said it would be unwise to eliminate it as the board has broad powers to look into problems of flooding and ways to solve them.

Mr. Rotello said some entities are good to have if needed for the future and is in favor of extending both for another five years. Mrs. Stanley concurred.

Mrs. Stanley moved to recommend in accordance with the Code of Ordinances section 2-184, the re-establishment of the Flood and Erosion Control Board and the Tarrywile Park Authority through June 30, 2015, subject to a public hearing. Seconded by Mr. Rotello. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Rotello moved to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Mrs. Stanley. The meeting ended at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Phil Curran, Chairman
Colleen Stanley
Paul Rotello
Mark Chory
Alan Boyce

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ORDINANCE

CITY OF DANBURY, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

COMMON COUNCIL

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Danbury:

That Sec. 2-176 of the Code of Ordinances of Danbury, Connecticut, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-176. Schedule of termination of government entities.

(a) The following governmental entities are terminated, effective June 30, 2011, unless reestablished in accordance with the provisions of section 2-184:

- (1) The Danbury Parks and Recreation Commission.
- (2) The Aviation Commission.
- (3) The Youth Commission.

(b) The following governmental entities are terminated, effective June 30, 2012, unless reestablished in accordance with section 2-184:

- (1) The Commission for Persons with Disabilities.
- (2) The Danbury Aquifer Protection Agency.
- (3) The Fair Rent Commission.
- (4) The Board of Ethics.
- (5) The Charles Ives Authority for the Performing Arts.

(c) The following governmental entities are terminated, effective June 30, 2013, unless reestablished in accordance with section 2-184:

- (1) The Stanley Lasker Richter Memorial Park Authority.
- (2) The Conservation Commission.
- (3) The Environmental Impact Commission.
- (4) The Danbury Museum and Historical Society Authority

(d) The following governmental entities are terminated, effective June 30, 2014, unless reestablished in accordance with section 2-184:

- (1) The City of Danbury Cultural Commission.
- (2) The Commission on Aging.
- (3) The Parking Authority of the City of Danbury.
- (4) The Danbury Housing Partnership.
- (5) The Lake Kenosia Commission.

(e) The following governmental entities are terminated, effective June 30, 2015, unless reestablished in accordance with the provisions of section 2-184:

- (1) The Flood and Erosion Control Board of the City of Danbury.
- (2) The Tarrywile Park Authority.